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(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
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For: LOW POWER CONTROL CIRCUIT
AND METHOD FOR A MEMORY
DEVICE

Examiner: J. H. Hur

**APPLICANTS' COMMENTS ON THE EXAMINER'S STATEMENT OF REASONS
FOR ALLOWANCE**

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Dear Sir:

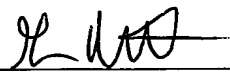
Applicants agree with the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance, contained in the Office Action mailed June 28, 2005, in that the prior art of record fails to disclose, teach or suggest the claimed invention. However, Applicants respectfully submit that the scope of the claimed invention should not be limited by the Examiner's statement, but rather the scope of the claimed invention should be based on the actual language of the allowed claims.

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